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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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Title

: CONTACT PROCESS AND STRUCTURE FOR A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated 25 June 2004, enclosed are the following papers:

- (1) A signed and dated Substitute Declaration for Patent Application; properly executed;
- (2) A check in the amount \$65.00 in payment of the late Declaration surcharge; and
- (3) A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application as required.

It is now believed that the subject patent application has been placed in condition for examination and such action is respectfully requested.

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